



## CRF Problem Report

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### Nature of Problem:

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- ☒ Did not contain a Sequence Listing. (see attached sample)
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SEQUENCE LISTING

1). GENERAL INFORMATION

i). NUMBER OF SEQUENCES :31

2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID No.:1

i).SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

(A) LENGTH : 20 nucleotides

(A) TYPE : nucleic acid

(B) STANDARDNESS : single standard

(C) TOPOLOGY : linear

ii). MOLECULE TYPE : nucleic acid

iii). HYPOTHETICAL : yes

iv). ANTI-SENCE : no

(See sample Sequence Listing)  
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# (Sample Sequence Listing)

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[Annex VIII follows]